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Examiner: Sameh H. Tawfik

In re Application of:

Trani et al.

Serial No.: 09/678,008

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For: CONTAINER WITH INHERENTLY

STABLE BASE MADE OF FLEXIBLE MATERIAL AND

METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING

IT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE A

With reference to the Examiner's action dated November 28, 2001 Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

AMENDMENTS

In the Title:

Please change the title to – METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING CONTAINER WITH INHERENTLY STABLE BASE --

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